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**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** David Whitaker, Director, LPD

**FROM:** Hon. Scott Benson, City Council District 3

**CC:** Hon. Janice Winfrey, City Clerk  
Stephanie Washington, City Council Liaison

**VIA:** Hon. Brenda Jones, City Council President

**DATE:** 3 July 2019

**RE:** MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION RESOLUTION

The Governor will be making her second appointment to the Michigan Public Service Commission soon and I am requesting LPD draft a resolution, which provides suggested characteristics of the next MPSC member for her consideration. I have attached my letter to the Governor's office as a template that can be used to draft the resolution.

Please provide the draft resolution 8 July 2019. If you have any questions do not hesitate to contact my office at, 313-224-1198.



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Joel Howrani Heeres, Director, Office of Sustainability  
Stephanie Washington, City Council Liaison

**VIA:** Hon. Brenda Jones, City Council President

**DATE:** 3 July 2019

**RE: GREEN TASK FORCE SUSTAINABILITY OFFICE MOU**

The Green Task Force (GTF) is currently working with the Office of Sustainability to enter into a formal nonbinding relationship where the GTF plays an advisory role on greenhouse gas reduction initiatives. Please draft an MOU that achieves this goal keeping in mind the Detroit Charter's mandate about separation of powers.

Please provide the draft MOU by 10 July 2019. If you have any questions do not hesitate to contact my office at, 313-224-1198.

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## IOS Referral

Jasmine Barnes

Thu 7/4/2019 3:10 PM

To: Deonte Agee <ageed@detroitmi.gov>; Louise Jones <jonesl@detroitmi.gov>; Andre Gilbert <gilbertand@detroitmi.gov>

Cc: Brenda Jones <bjones@detroitmi.gov>; Marcell Todd <marcell@detroitmi.gov>; Paul Corbett <corbettp@detroitmi.gov>; Laurie-Anne Sabatini <sabatinil@detroitmi.gov>

 2 attachments (172 KB)

RESUME JANUARY 2019-1.pdf; RESUME JANUARY 2019.pdf;

Greetings!

Please refer the attached resume to IOS on the July 9 New Business Agenda as the OFCPBJ At-large CPC nominee.

Thank you.

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## LAUREN A. HOOD

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### EDUCATION

University of Detroit Mercy  
Bachelor of Business Administration  
Master of Community Development

### AFFILIATIONS

Policy Link  
Detroit Equity Delegate

Detroit Sound Conservancy  
Board of Directors

Detroit Regional Chamber  
Leadership Detroit XXXIX Class

City of Detroit Council Appointee  
City Planning Commissioner

University of Detroit Mercy  
Masters of Community Development  
Program Advisory Board

### RECOGNITION

Harvard Business School  
Young American Leaders Program

PlaceLab Chicago  
Ethical Redevelopment Fellowship

Preservation Detroit  
Board of Directors

City of Detroit Mayoral Appointee  
Historic District Commissioner

Damon J. Keith Center  
Detroit Equity Action Lab Fellowship

### SELECT EXPERIENCE

#### Deep Dive Detroit, LLC (Detroit, MI) 2012–Present

##### *Consultant*

Serve as local context expert and engagement strategist for design teams working on development projects in Detroit. Leverage place based knowledge, experience and social capital to design and execute robust and inclusive citizen engagement plans. Projects include City of Detroit's Sustainability Action Agenda and Wayne State University's Master Plan.

##### *Facilitator*

Design curriculum and moderate group dialogues on issues pertaining to racial equity & privilege, equitable development, and community engagement. Have successfully engaged close to 1000 participants at more than a dozen organizations. Previous clients have included the Skillman Foundation, EcoWorks, Challenge Detroit, Detroit Revitalization Fellows, and Wayne State University among others.

#### Live6 (Detroit, MI) 2015–2017

##### *Founding Director*

Successfully launched place based, anchor institution partnership organization convened to create and implement community development activities in Northwest Detroit. Designed multiple platforms for gleaning input from residents, business owners, property owners, and neighborhood leaders at levels to create a shared vision for recruiting new businesses, sustaining exiting businesses, vacant property activation and community programming. Served as convening partner connecting community members to philanthropic and financial institutions, city government, service providers and anchor institution leadership. Over the course of a 2 year period, engaged over 1000 residents in monthly public dialogues, monthly advisory meetings, quarterly cultural events and bi-weekly peacemaking initiatives.

#### Loveland Technologies (Detroit, MI) 2013–2015

##### *Director of Community Engagement*

Partnered with community organizations to develop and execute neighborhood specific outreach strategies to engage residents in a city wide property mapping process. Produced workshop materials, convened and trained over 700 residents on data collection applications.

#### City of Highland Park (Highland Park, MI) 2010, 2012–2013

##### *Project Manager: Community/Economic Development*

Responsible for the execution of citywide economic development programs. Managed initiatives in demolition, deconstruction, housing rehabilitation, public works, and business attraction. Negotiated on behalf of the municipality in grant related hearings with federal, state, and county representatives. Worked to establish the City's Historic District Commission and served as the City Hall liaison to the Planning Commission.